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VIA FACSIMILE TO 703.746.4318

ATTN: Mr. Toatley
Commissioner of Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/615,606
Filed: July 13, 2000
Inventors: Mark S. ABAD *et al.*
Title: Nucleic Acid Molecules and Other
Molecules Associated with Plants
Atty. Docket: 38-21(15444)C

Sir:

In connection with the Petition to Revive that was filed on October 9, 2002 in the above-identified application, the undersigned hereby requests the Commissioner to charge \$2150.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-2387, referencing matter no. 16517.001/15444C. A copy of the transmittal letter for said Petition is attached hereto. This charge is to cover:

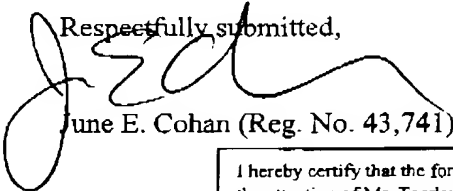
petition fee of \$1280.00 set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(in);

application filing fee of \$740.00 set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.16; and

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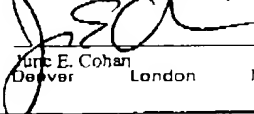
In the event that extensions of time beyond those petitioned for herewith are necessary to prevent abandonment of this patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned. Applicants do not believe any additional fees are due in conjunction with this filing. However, if any fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 or 1.17 are required in the present application, including any fees for extensions of time, then the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge such fees to Arnold & Porter Deposit Account No. 50-2387, referencing matter number 16517.001/15444C.

Respectfully submitted,


June E. Cohan (Reg. No. 43,741)

Attachment

I hereby certify that the foregoing Letter is being facsimile transmitted to the attention of Mr. Toatley via facsimile number (703) 746-4318.


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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) are the following documents:

1. Petition to Revive Unintentionally Abandoned Patent Application under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b) (in duplicate);
2. Exhibit A – Copy of transmittal form PTO/SB/05 filed July 13, 2000;
3. Exhibit B – Copy of receipt postcard for papers filed on July 13, 2000, date-stamped as received by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on July 13, 2000;
4. Exhibit C – Copy of Notice of Abandonment under 37 CFR 1.53(f) or (g) (mailed September 9, 2002), and Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (mailed September 13, 2000);
5. Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (in duplicate);
6. Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application – Filing Date Granted;
7. Original Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application, executed by inventor Mark S. Abad (4 pages);
8. Original Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application, executed by inventor Robert E. Buehler (4 pages);
9. Original Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application, executed by inventor Joseph R. Byrum (4 pages);
10. Original Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application, executed by inventor Brian E. Coombs (4 pages);

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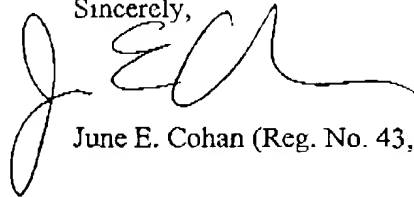
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11. Original Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application, executed by inventor Gregory R. Heck (4 pages);
12. Original Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application, executed by inventor Thomas J. La Rosa (4 pages);
13. Original Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application, executed by inventor Donald E. Nelson (4 pages);
14. Original Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application, executed by inventor Hridayabhiramjam Shukla (4 pages);
15. Original Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application, executed by inventor Michael D. Thompson (4 pages); and
16. Return postcard.

It is respectfully requested that the attached postcard be stamped with the date of filing of these documents, and that it be returned to our courier.

Sincerely,



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Enclosures